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SARA ELIZABETH HARRIS, Local Editor

HAPPENINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Mrs. Sage returned to her home at Lakeland Wednesday.

Mr. G. A. Carmichael was reported a little better Wednesday.

Mrs. Zewadski left for a visit to relatives at Cotton Plant Wednesday.

Miss Annie DeLong, of Candler, is the guest of Miss Annie Mathews.

In nursing a boom and a boy Grover is kept pretty busy this hot weather.

We are requested to announce that the bowling alley will not be open today.

Uncle "Dick Miller," the old Indian war veteran, was a visitor to Ocala Wednesday.

Mr. Elmore Davidson and family have gone to Leesburg and will make it their future home.

Mrs. Hyman and children are en route to Asheville, N. C., where they they spend the summer.

Mrs. Haggerty, of the St. Denis hotel, is off on a trip to Atlanta and will return in about two weeks.

The County Commissioners are going to erect a steel bridge over the Withlacoochee river near Dunnellon.

Dempey Mayo purchased the famous Ocala Music Company's clock as soon as it touched the six dollar mark.

Mr. John Ingesser after a few day's visit in Ocala with his brother, Mr. James Ingesser, has returned to Gainesville.

Judge Hocker, Mr. William Hocker, J. J. Tilles, Mr. Withers and Mr. E. L. Carney left on the south bound A. C. L. train Wednesday.

Mrs. S. S. Harris, of Citra, who came down to Ocala Tuesday afternoon for a short business visit returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. R. F. Hyman and children, left Wednesday afternoon for the mountains of North Carolina to spend the balance of the summer.

Mr. J. W. Pearson still has faith that oil will be discovered in Sumter county. If faith will remove mountains why will it not bring oil?

BASE BALL AT OCALA.

Tampa Wins Three Straight Games From Valdosta.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Notwithstanding the confusion caused by different publications in different newspapers that Tampa would play ball Monday in Tampa instead of Ocala, the Tampa and Valdosta teams arrived in this city promptly on schedule time as announced by Mr. S. A. Standley, chairman of the arrangements committee, and a very pretty and spirited game was played on the new diamond at the driving park yesterday afternoon.

The game was called at 3:45 o'clock with Valdosta at the bat, Taylor scoring one while Tampa got a goose egg.

Valdosta scored nothing after the first until the fifth when three runs were placed to their credit. They exhausted themselves as they made nothing in the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth innings.

Tampa was shut out until the eighth when everything was peaches and cream. They made three runs in the eighth and in the ninth scored two more, winning the game by one score, leaving two men on bases and only one man down.

At the eighth inning when Tampa made her three runs the excitement was intense and those who were betting so freely on Valdosta and were so boisterous became very quiet and the friends of Tampa did the shouting.

The following was the line up:

VALDOSTA	POSITION	TAMPA
Chapple	.....p.....	White
Robinson	.....c.....	Brown
Dinkins	.....1b.....	Pratt
Barker	.....2b.....	Linton
Oliphant	.....3b.....	Ruhlin
Dinkins	.....ss.....	Thornton
Teagle	.....lf.....	Murphy
Taylor	.....cf.....	Hickman
McCalla	.....rf.....	Childs

McCalla hit by batted ball.

Score by innings:

Valdosta—1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—4

Tampa—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 2—5

Summary—base hits, Tampa 8, Valdosta, 7; struck out, Chapple, 12, White, 6; errors, Valdosta, 7; Tampa, 5; base on balls, Valdosta, 1; Tampa, 1; at bat, Valdosta, 36; Tampa, 41.

The game was umpired by E. C. Bennett. Gate receipts, \$86.40, grand stand, \$10.70, total, \$97.10.

Both teams are guests at the Montezuma Hotel.

From Wednesday's Daily.

The second of the three games to be played in Ocala between the base-ball teams of Tampa and Valdosta took place yesterday afternoon at the Driving Park grounds under very unfavorable weather conditions. The rain of the afternoon kept the crowd away.

Neither team was at its best, and the game was slow and uninteresting from start to finish. Many errors were made on both sides.

The game was called with Tampa at the bat. Patterson hit the first ball for a safe one past second base, and took second on an error. He was thrown out at third on a double play when Linton hit to first base. Thornton hit safely to left field and Pratt to center both for a two bagger, but were left on bases when White flied out to right. For Valdosta, Taylor fanned, and Dinkins drew a base on balls. Chapple also punched three times and took a seat, and Teagle was thrown out from third to first.

In the second inning, Ruhlin and Hickman were out on easy ones to the pitcher, and Brown fanned. In Valdosta's half, Robinson was given a base on balls, and scored the first run of the game on a hit by McCalla. Capo, Middleton and Mathews were thrown out at first. Childs was put out from second to first. Patterson hit safely, but was forced out at second when Linton hit to short. Linton scored Tampa's first run after Thornton was given a base on balls and Pratt hit for one bag to left field. White retired the side again by a long fly to right. In the Cracker's

half, Chapple hit to left for two bags, but the next three men beat wildly at the atmosphere three times.

Tampa tallied four runs in the fourth on three hits and three errors by the Crackers, Valdosta could do nothing in their half. Neither side crossed the plate in the fifth, but Robinson added another one to Valdosta's score in the ninth.

Tampa increased her lead in the seventh by adding five more tallies to her score. Valdosta was able to do nothing more towards getting runs during the remainder of the game but the crabs tallied one more in the eighth, making their total score 11 runs to the Cracker's 2.

The score—

TAMPA.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Patterson, lf	6	1	3	1	0	0
Linton, rf	5	2	2	2	3	1
Thornton, ss	5	0	2	2	1	0
Pratt, 1b	5	2	2	8	0	0
White, cf	5	1	2	1	1	0
Ruhlin, 3b	4	1	1	1	0	0
Hickman, 2b	5	1	0	2	0	1
Brown, c	5	2	1	10	4	0
Childs, p	4	1	0	0	0	0
Total	46	11	13	27	8	2

VALDOSTA.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Taylor, cf	5	0	2	0	0	1
Dinkins, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Chapple, 3b	4	0	2	2	1	3
Teagle, 2b	4	0	0	4	4	0
Robinson, 1b	3	2	1	10	1	2
Capo, c	4	0	1	7	0	1
Middleton, cf	4	0	2	3	0	0
McCalla, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Mathews, p	4	0	1	0	4	1
Total	36	2	10	27	13	8

Tampa 0 0 1 4 0 0 5 1 0—11
Valdosta 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2

Summary—Two base hits, Chapple, Linton, Pratt, Ruhlin, White; double plays, Robinson and Chapple, White and Pratt; struck out, Childs, 12, Mathews, 6. Umpire E. C. Bennett. Gate receipts, \$75.10.

From Thursday's Daily.

The result of the baseball match yesterday at the Driving Park between the Tampa Crabs and the Valdosta Crackers was a repetition of the same old story—Tampa won, Valdosta lost.

From all points of view it was a well played game, but was rather slow. The dampness of the atmosphere seemed to affect the enthusiasm of both the players and spectators, and the game was long drawn out. Tampa won on her merits. Hitting on both sides was light, Valdosta getting one safe hit and Tampa four.

Both pitchers were on their mettle, and were well supported. The pretty throwing to bases by Robinson and the fancy work by Ruhlin and Thornton were the features. It is to be regretted that three umpires had to be used before satisfaction in that particular department was obtained.

The fans were much surprised at the appearance of Chapple in the grey uniform of the Tampa Crabs.

The game started with Tampa first at bat. Patterson hit to third and made first on an error. He was forced out at second when Linton hit to pitcher. Linton in turn was forced out at second by Thornton's hit to third, and Pratt was thrown out from second to first, Valdosta failed to score.

In the second inning for Tampa, White smashed a single past second, and scored on Chapple's hit over short. Brown hit for one base, Chapple going to third, from where he tried to score on Hickman's infield hit but was put out at the plate. Patterson again hit to third, who threw wild to first allowing Brown and Hickman to tally.

For the next five innings Valdosta sent only three men to the bat in an inning, none reached first. Tampa did scarcely any better and no further runs were tallied during the game, the Crackers received a goose egg for their final score.

The score:—

Tampa	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Valdosta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Summary—Struck out, Hickman 9, Oliphant 7, Sacrifice hit, Teagle.

The Times-Union Contest.

The Times-Union's contest for the lady commissioners to the St. Louis exposition is creating so much interest throughout the state, that this paper has decided to have three assistant commissioners also. So in each of the three divisions the young lady receiving the second highest vote will be the assistant.

The assistant will be given a ticket to St. Louis and return and will have their board paid at the hotel for three days by the Times-Union.

In Honor of Miss Barco.

The young gentlemen friends of Miss Sue Barco gave her a delightful dance at the Everglade Hotel last night. Miss Barco leaves for her home in Ocala tomorrow, much to the regret of those here who have had the pleasure of making her acquaintance, all of whom hope that her visits will be more frequent to the Magic City.—Miami News. Miss Barco returned home Friday.

Children's Entertainment.

Miss Leta Camp and Master William Camp entertained most delightfully last night at the home of their parents on Fifth avenue in honor of their guests, Miss Carita Doggett and Master John Doggett, of Jacksonville. About twenty five little belles and beaux were present and had a most elegant time playing interesting games and doing honors to a sumptuously laden table.

Mrs. W. N. Camp, Mrs. Clarence Camp and Mrs. Doggett assisted in the games.

The hours were from six to nine and every minute of the time was enjoyed.

Mr. C. F. Freeman, of Conant, of the turpentine firm of G. W. Varn & Co., is in the city. Mr. Freeman was formerly a resident of Valdosta and came down to witness the Tampa-Valdosta base ball game here Wednesday afternoon.

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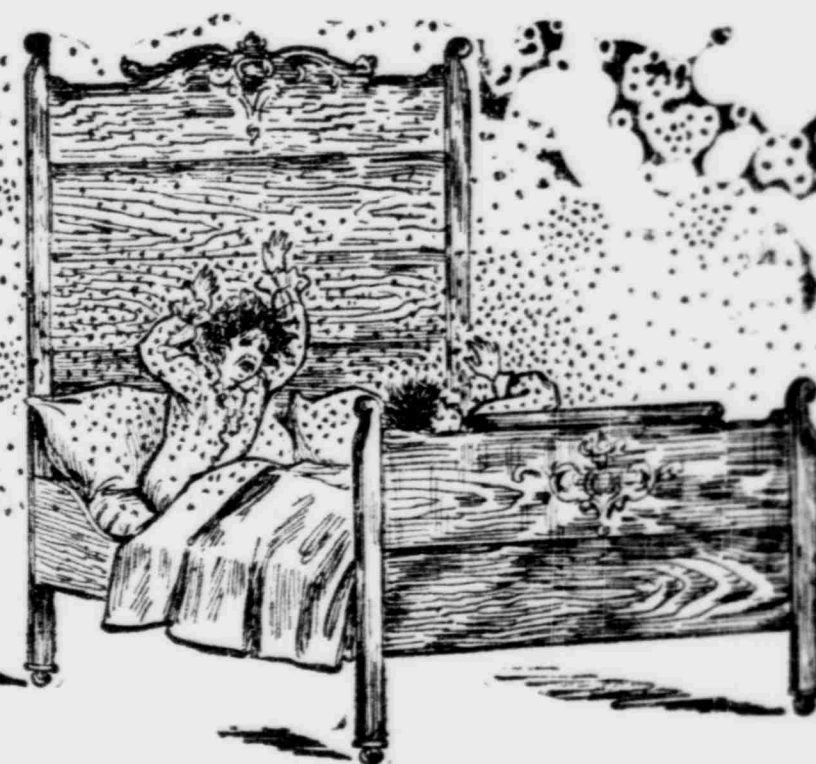
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